natives.

The wounded persons are being care for on all the ships in the harbor. A German ship called in on her way from Caba, and sailed again, after staying in port one hour. The lines of the Hayi Cable Company and the direct West Indian Cable Company are broken two miles out at sea. Repairs are being made. The West India and Panama line is working from Holland Bay. The railroad workshop's have been demolished, but train service has been resumed. The offices of the Kingston newspapers have been wrecked.

### GOV. OF JAMAICA TELLS THE STORY

#### Says That Only One-Thirtieth of Kingston Is Destroyed.

LONDON. January 17.-The Colonial Office has received a cablegram from Sir Alexander Swettenham, the Governor of Jamaica. It is without date, and runs

Jamalea. It is without date, and runs as follows:

"Continuing my previous telegram on the subject of the earthquake: The evil effects have been confined almost to the three parishes of the island, namely, Kingston, Port Royal and St. Andrew. The fire at Kinston has practically ceased, only coal and rubbish are now burning. The district burned comprises a triangular area between the parade gardens, the sea, Duke Street and Princess Street. The parish church forms the apex of this triangle, which comprises about one-thirtieth part of the town. The wharves burned are George and Branday and Malabre, Haggart Lyons, Solomon's de Mercado, Henriques, and one, not both, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's wharves.

"The burned area is being cleared slowly, owing to the indisposition of the population to labor at double the usual wages. There are a few bodies still covered with ruins. The burnials to monthis day comprise 343. The persons admitted to hospital in Kinsston total 440, excluding some sixty cases sent to Spanish Town from Kinston for treatment.

All Camped Out.

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The Hoppulation generally is encamped on the parade grounds, the racecourse and the open spaces. It is reductant to return to its ruined houses during the fine weather.

"The usual provision shops are in the burned area, and there is, consequently, difficulty in buying provisions. I am arranging for sales temporarily and for the transfer of persons to other parishes. There was some pilfering last night from deserted shops. The population is wonderfully patient, but listless.

"Among the Meled are Sir James Fergusson, J. W. Middleton, A. M. Nathan, Edward de Cordova, J. R. Mudon, J. A. Payne, Dr. R. C. Gibbe, R. C. Bradley, Beverly W. George, H. Burroughs, Charles Sheriock, E. Morris, Captain Constantine and Miss Lockett, "Great assistance has been given to Sir Alfred Jones, who converted the steamer Port Kingston into a temporary hospital and refuse, by doctors and firemen from Spanish Town and by the commander of the troops, who supplied men to assist in keeping order and to patrol.

"The direct line cable is broken three miles off the coast. Both the telegraph offices are burned."

### KINGSTON IN STATE OF UTTER RUIN

# Sir Alexander Sweetenhall Pic-

Fortunately, the water supply is holding out.

The American battleships Missouri and
Indiana have arrived in the harbor.

Thirty-five out of a total of hity-five
employes in a tourist bureau were killed.

The Plum Point and Port Royal lighthouses are both at the bottom of the barbor. The navigation channel has changed,
and in some places the depth of the harbor has been altered by from forty to
sixty feet. It is reported that the Hamburg-Ameri-

can steamer Prinz Waldemar, which reached Kingston from New York Jan-uary 3d, is ashore at Plum Point. It is now known that the death list, etc., etc., is as already cabled.

# SHORE LINE SINKING.

#### Fear That Kingston Will Slip Into the Sea.

Into the Sea.

NEW YORK, January II.—The shore of the harbor of Kingston is sinking, and there is terror lest the city silp into the sea, according to a private dispatch received by a large mercantile house here to-day from Port-au-Prince, Hayti. The bed of the harbor is said to be sinking, and the water in many places is now 100 feet deep. Every wharf not destroyed by fire is said to have sunk into the sea, or to have been rendered worthless.

Hardly a building is left standing in the entire city of Kingston, and every one

entire city of Kingston, and every one not demolished is dangerously injured and uninhabitable. The post-office and the telegraph office are among the build-

The death list probably will total many hundreds, but it is impossible to furnish an accurate estimate at present, the fig-ures varying from 400 to 1,200, which

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by many signs --- glandular tumors, bunches in the neck, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, catarrh and wasting diseases.

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only prominent hotel in Jamaica which has not sustained injuries. So far as known no Americans have been killed or

#### KINGSTON SINKING.

# Earthquake Opened Great Cracks

and City May Disappear.

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., January II.—
Wireless messages received at the station on Anastasia Island to-day by Chief Electrician Elkins say that Kingston is sinking gradually; that holes and cracks one hundred feet deep were formed by the earthquake, and that grave fears are felt that the entire city will slip into the bay.

the bay.

Another message says the hospital corps, attendants and supplies from the United States naval vessels at Guanta-namo have been sent to the stricken island.

#### MANY VISITORS UNDER THE RUINS

#### Churches Are All Destroyed and Wharves Burned-Shore Line Sinking.

LONDON, January 17.-The Evening tures the Fearful Catastrophe.

LONDON, January II.—The calm, official recital of the actual conditions at Kingston sent by Sir Alexander Sweetenhall, the Governor-of the island, realizes and brings home to the British public in a manner the press messages failed to do the terrible nature of the calamity. His description of the population paints in the way no lurid pen-picture could do the effect of the utter desolation of the earthquake and fire left in their tracks. Many bodies, in a state of decomposition, charred beyond recognition, had to be burned.

Fortunately, the water supply is holding out.

The American battleships Missouri and Indiana have arrived in the larbor.

Thirty-five out of a total of fifty-five the fearsh fires broke dout in three separ-Standard publishes a telegram from a

and gas supplies, and immediately after the crash fires broke out in three separ-ate spots, where the wharves and ware houses were situated. A brisk wind that had spring up from the southwest fanned the flames, which were soon raging along the entire harbor front and cating their way into the residential portion of the city.

# Business Quarter Wiped Out.

"The fire brigade station, in Suttor Street, had been wrecked by the earth juake, and the fire apparatus in it do stroyed, and this made resistance to th fire impossible. It therefore continued its course unchecked until this morning. At that time the whole business quarter of

course unchecked until this morning. At that time the whole business quarter of the city had been wheel out of existence, an area of about one square mile, extending from the Farade and Harbour Street, and including King, Harbour, Tower, Orange and West Streets.

"Many of the big public buildings were wrecked, but the treasury building, in Harbour Street, was intact. The postoffice and courthouse, which were combined in one large structure, and the headquarters house, containing the government offices, the Colonial Bank and the Nova Scotla Bank, were all destroyed. The government house was badly damaged. The churches disappeared, including the Parish Church and the Roman Catholic Cathedral, which latter had been recently built. The Scotch Kirk, the Wesleyan and Baptist Chapels and the theatre were also destroyed.

Ships as Hospitals.

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"The ships in the harbor, including the Premier, Arno and Porkington, were transformed into hospitals. The deck of the Porkington resembled a shamble, and her cabins were full of the dying and the dead. The only surgeon on board was the ship's doctor, Evans, who was busy with amputations from 5 o'clock in the afternoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 4 o'clock in the morning, using the main companionway of the ship as an operating-room.

The entire city must be rebuilt. The closes are enormous. One unofficial estimate places the loss at \$25,66,60. A larke number of finsures in the earth appeared. The rails of the electric tramway tracks are twisted, the water pipes are damaged and there are no lights at nighttime, owing to the damage to the electric and gas plants.

"Many curious circumstances are reported. One of the strangest freaks of the earthquake was played with the statue of Queen Victoria, which stands in the centre of the town. The shock turned the

# GREAT EARTHQUAKE DISASTERS AND THEIR SACRIFICE OF LIVES

The recent destruction of Kingston, Jamaica, draws attention to the most notable disasters and quakes in the world history. A summary of the most appailing of these catastrophes follows:

San Francisco, 1,000 killed, 1906, Island of Martinique, eruption of Mont Pelee; 40,000 lives it, in 1902. Quesaltenango and other cities in Guatemala, April 19, 1902; out 2,000 killed by carthquake. Chilpancingo, Mexico, January 16, 1902; 300 dead, earthquake. Shamaka, Russian Transcaucasia, February, 1902; 200 killed,

earthquake, Erzeroum, Armenia, November 12, 1901; twenty-two killed, earthquake, Mount Koelt, Java, May, 1901; about 200 killed, volcanio

eruption.
Mount Azuma Japan, July, 1900; 200 killed or injured, vol-canic eruption.
Island of Ceram, East Indies, October 10, 1899; 4,000 killed,

Island of Ceram, Eust Holes 1899; 300 killed, earthquake. Aldir, Asia Migor, September 20, 1899; 300 killed, earthquake. Venezuela, April 24, 1894; 3,000 killed, earthquake. Southern Greece, April, 1894; 1,000 killed, earthquake. Island of Hondu, Japan, October, 1891; 10,000 killed, earth-Charleston, S. C., August and September, 1886; thirty-eight led, earthquakes.

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was cracked and threatened to topple over. There was no panic, the guests eating their dinner with the greatest equanimity. Nobody was injured.

"When the seriousness of the disaster became apparent they could be seen removing their luggage to the lawn in front of the hotel, where the party encamped until the danger of further shocks appeared to be over. Later, Sir Ralph Moor conveyed all who were desirous of going to the city and aboard the steamship Port Kingston. But many preferred to remain at the hotel till next morning."

### PARTIAL LIST OF HILLED AND INJURED

The following is a list gathered from various sources of the more important persons reported killed, injured and missing in the Kingston disaster:

and missing in the Kingston disaster:

Killed.

Sir James Fergusson, M. P., deputy chairman of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, of London.
Captain T. Constantine, superintendent in Jamalca for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company.
Captain Young, commander of steamer Areno, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's fleet,
Captain Lamont, who was soon to be married to an American girl.
Mr. Brannel (reported to have been killed in the Myrtle Bank Hotel).
Dr. Robertson and wife (perhaps Dr. O. D. F. Robertson and wife).
Charles Sherlock, a well-known merchant.

A. M. Nathan, partner of Charles herlock in the firm of Nathan, Sherlock and Company,
Bradley Verley, of the family extensively interested in sugar cultivation.
Two other members of the Verley

family.

G. McN, Livingston, senior clerk in the audit office of the colonial government.

Dr. Menier (or Maynier).
Four Livingstone children (reported to have been killed in the Myrtle Bank Hotel).

Dr. R. C. Gibb.
Miss Lockett, killed in Jamaica Club.
Miss Sullivan.

Miss Sullivan, Edgard D. Cordova, carriage and wagon-maker.

Missing.
J. W. Middleton.
Charles de Cordova, importing provision merchant.
Edward de Cordova, a brother of A brother of Charles Sherlock, the

merchant, who was injured. Injured.

Injured.
Major J. H. Hardaman, of the West India Regiment; seriously.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. R. Dairymple-Hay, D. S. O., of the West India Regiment.
Captain Motley (probably Captain W. P. Harley), of the West India Regiment.

Lieutenant A. C. H. Dixon, of the West India Regiment.
Quartermaster S. H. Price, of the
West India Regiment.

Mrs. S. H. Price; seriously.. Mrs. Constantine; both legs broken. Mrs. A. A. Wedderburn, wife of Deputy Police Inspector Wedderburn;

Deputy Molice Inspector Wedderburn; both legs broken. Mr. Codnor, director of the West India Cable Company; severely. Mrs. Marshall, wife of Brigadler-General J. W. A. Marshall, C. B., of the Jamalca command.

# REMARKABLE ESCAPES.

# Members of the Jones Party Al-

most Lost Their Lives. most Lost Their Lives.

LONDON, January II.—Owen Cosby
Philipps, M. P., chairman of the Royal
Mail Steam Packet Company, after a long
conference at the Colonial Office this
morning regarding the immediate measures to be taken for the relief of the
earthquake sufferers, cabled to the company's agency in New York as follows:

# Relief Measures.

"Relief measures should be carried out only through and under the sanction of the Governor of Jamaica, who is the best judge of the extent of the distress and the best measures to be taken for alleviating it, and who will in any case hear the responsibility."

Sir Alfred Jones, Jesse Collings, M. P., and several other members of Sir Alfred's party had remarkable escapes from being

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Mount daron, Island of St. Vincent, 1812; 10,000 killed, volanic eruption.

Mount Taai, Luzon, 1814; 15,000 killed, volcanic eruption.

Lisbon, Portugai, 1756; 60,000 killed, earthquake.

Kuehan, North Perala, 1753; 40,000 killed, earthquake.

Canton, China, Noyember 30, 1731; 100,000 killed, earthquake.

Palermo, Sicily, 1726; 6,000 killed, earthquake.

Calicla, Poland, 1288; 20,000 killed, earthquake.

Syrla, 1189; 20,000 killed, earthquake.

Catania, Sicily, 1137; 16,000 killed, earthquake.

Constantinepie, 557; thousands killed, earthquake.

Pompeli and Herculaneum, A. D. 79; 2,000 to 5,000 killed, vol
ticle eruption.

statue completely around, but otherwise it is intact.

"It is reported that a tidal wave visited Annota Bay and that the coast lines have been changed.

"The arear rased by the fire is bounded, roughly, by Fleet Street on the east, West Street and the custom-house on the west, and from the water-front on the water-front from the Royal Mail wharf to the rallway wharves at the west end of the harbor, has been burned over.

"The majority of the ladies of Sir Alfred Jones's party were at the Constantine Spring Hotel, in St. Andrew, which in five miles from Kingston, when the shock came. The central tower of the hotel was cracked and threatened to topple was cracked and threatened to topple was cracked and threatened to topple was cracked and threatened to topple.

\*\*Statue completely around, but otherwise in the ruins of the Myrtle Bank Hotel, According to a dispatch received in the West Indies are following suit in the West Indies are following suits in the West Indi

# RED CROSS WILL SEND SUPPLIES

#### The Whipple, With Army Surgeons on Board, Has Reached Kingston.

WASHINGTON, January 17.—The American National Red Cross will extend immediate help to the earthquake sufferers in Jamaica. Cleveland Dodge, head of the New York State organization, has been authorized to purchase \$5,000 worth of supplies to be sent to Kingston by the first steamer. It was learned at the Navy Department to-day that the supply ship Ceitic, which was belived to be at Guantanamo, has not yet arrived there, but is oxpected at any moment. The sister supply ship Glacler, is now loading at New 1 ork and will go to Gualanamo, unless orders are issued for her to proceed direct to Kingston A wireless message to the Navy Department from Rear-Admiral Evans at Guantanamo, takes that the Whipple, having aboard Divisional Commander Admiral C. H. Davis, with a corps of surgeons and medical supplies, has arrived at Kingston.

Owing to an error in deciphering the wireless message from Guantanamo, Cuba, yesterday, it was made to appear that Rear-Admiral Evans personally had gone to Kingston to extend relief to the earthquake sufferers. The mes

had gone to Kington to extend relief to the earthquake sufferers. The mes-sage received this morning, however, indicates that Admiral Lvans dispatched Rear-Admiral Davis, the second in

ommand, to Kingston. The Secretary of the Navy has receleved a telegram from the Hamburg-American Line steamship offices in New York advising him that according to a cablegram from the company's vessel President, dated at Port-au-Prince, Hayti, great caution is necessary on the part of ships approaching Kingston, as the bottom of the sea has changed by reason of the earth-quake, and that the lighthouse has been demolished.

The information was regarded as of such importance that it at once was cabled to Admiral Evans at Guantamamo. eleved a telegram from the Hamburg

namo.

The following cablegram was received to-day at the Isthmian Canal office from Mr. Stevens, engineer in charge of the Panama Canal construction, dated at Culebra last night:

"Advise us of the extent of the damage by earthquake at Kingston, Jamaica. Have no record here; seismograph in good working order."

### KING EDWARD LED IN RELIEF FUND

### All England Waiting Anxiously for Further News of the

Catastrophe. LONDON, January 17.-It is now known that the death list of the Kingston earthquake certainly will exceed five hundred persons, and may even reach one thousand, and that large numbers have been incapacitated by their injuries. The city is a heap of ruins.

With characteristic promptitude, the

royal family hastened to set the country an example of generous assistance to the afflicted city. The King and the Queen have each constibuted \$5,000 to the Lord Mayor's fund. The Prince and Princess of Wales have contributed \$2,500

# THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia-Rain in south, rain or snow in north portion Friday; warmer except in extreme southwest portion. Saturday, occasional rain; light northeast

North Carolina—Rain in east, partly cloudy in west portion Friday, Saturday, fair; light southwest winds.

Conditions Yesterday. | Conditions | Casterday. | Richmond's weather was cold, damp and cloudy. | Range of the thermometer: | 9 A. M. | 20 | 6 P. M. | 33 | 12 M. | 31 | 9 P. M. | 36 | 3 P. M. | 34 | 12 midnight. | Second Second

Highest temperature yesterday ...

Lowest temperature yesterday 28
Mean temperature yesterday 32
Normal temperature for January 38
Departure from normal temperature 66 Thermometer This Day Last Year 

Average ...... 48 5-6.

| At \$ P. M., Eastern Time.) | Continue | Co Conditions in Important Cities.

# Miniature Almanac. Sun rises..... 7:34

Sun sets..... 5:18 Moon sets.... 9:18

Cargo for the Stricken at

Kingston.

NEW YORK, January 17.—The first cargo of supplies to be sent from New York in aid of the stricken people of Jamaica will be shipped to-morrow on the Hamburg-American steamer Allegheny. President Cleveland Dodge, of the New York State branch of the National Red Cross, was authorized by the national organization to-day to expend \$5,000 in the purchase of supplies, and arrangements are complete for the transportation of a portion of this on the vessel saling to-morrow.

The Red Cross contributions will be supplemented by a quantity of food, medicine, etc., which has been gathered by a committee of steamship and commercial firms named at a meeting of a number of representative citizens last night. The Hamburg-American, the United Fruit Company and the Royal Mail Steamship Company to-night announced that all vessels of their lines to Kingston would be at the disposal of relief organizations desiring to forward supplies to the earthquake victims. Other vessels will load and sail at frequent intervals, if it is found necessary.

# MESSAGE OF SYMPATHY

FROM THE PRESIDENT
LONDON, January 17.—King Edward
headed the Mansion Home relief fund,
opened here to-day, with a subscription
of \$5,600, the corporation of London immediately adding a similar amount. The principal theatres are organizing special performances in behalf of the Kingston

earthquake fund.
On instructions from Washington, the American Embassy this afternoon tele-graphed to King Edward and to the For-eign Office condolences on the Kingston disaster from President Roosevelt and the State Department, respectively

### Pestilence Feared.

HALIFAX, N. S., January II.—Horace Fleming, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotla, received a cable message to-night from the manager of the Kingston branch that conditions in the stricken city are getting worse. Business is at a stand-still and will continue so until their sanitary conditions have been improved. The chief cause of fear is the possibility of the outbreak of a pestilence.

# Patterson Is Governor. NASHVILLE, TENN., January 17.— Malcolm R. Patterson, of Memphis, was to-day inaugurated Governor of Tennes-see.

# MILITARY MATTERS.

The five companies of the Seventieth Regiment had an interesting battailon driir at the armory last night. Despite the unfavorable weather about 125 men were in line, or about 50 per cent. of the membership. Major C. C. Bossieux commanded the battailon. The companies showed up well in the manual and as well in the evolutions as could be expected in such a contracted area.

The two companies composing the Richmond Light Infantry Blues had a creditable battallon drill in their arrivory on Wednesday night, followed by guard mount. The boys were out in full ranks, and entered into the drill with great zest. Major Bowles commanded the battallon for the first time since his election to a majority, and since his election to a majority with two Virginias. His wife, who was a since his election to a majority with the virginias. His wife, who was a since his election to a majority of the virginias. His wife, who was a since his election to a majority of the virginias. His wife, who was a since his election to a majority of the virginias. His wife, who was a since his election to a majority of the virginias. His wife, who was a since his election to a majority of the virginias and the virginias an

. . . There is nothing doing at either armory to-night: All the commands are preparing, however, for the parade to-morrow, and will report at their armorles in dress uniform therefor at 2 P M morrow, and will report at their armorres in dress uniform therefor at 3 P. M.

The members of the Blues' battalion have had photographs made to compose a group picture of the battalion. The group has not yet been made up, but will adoin the armory when complete.

# From Chicken-Pox

to Cholera.

Cure-Alis No Longer Tolerated.

In early days every barber shop was an operating room and the town physician resorted to bleeding as Lies sure cure for all aliments from obleken-pox to cholera. As a result, many, including our first President, died prematurely.

The present low rate of mortality is due in large measure to the advances made in medical science and the knowledge of the specific treatment needed for each disease known.

There is no disease more common among American and English people than dyspepsia. So prevalent has it become that thousands suffer with it half unconsciously, consider the symptoms as natural to their physical constitution and resign themselves to living on in that condition.

There is a remedy for dyspepsia, and

consciously, consider the symptoms as ratural to their physical constitution and resign themselves to living on in that condition.

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Says He Is Willing to Face Charges if Any One Will Make Them.

AUSTIN, TEXAS, January 17.—An address by United States Senator Joseph W. Balley, the postponement of a concurrent resolution providing for his reelection on January 22d, and the acceptance of a challenge from the investigation committee appointed by the Senate by Representative Cock, of Bixbar, to prove Balley's connection with the Water-Pierce Oil Company, were the signal features in legislative circles to-day. At the very outset of the proceedings a resolution was adopted inviting Senator Balley to address the House, after the voting down of an amendment to the resolution declaring that in doing so he laid himself open for a free investigation as to his political record.

Senator Balley appeared before the House committee, and in a passionate speech denied in toto the reliability of the documents in the possession of Attorney-General Davidson. Following his speech, the members proceeded to further discuss the Balley investigator seems AUSTIN, TEXAS, January 17 .- An ad-

speech, the members proceeded to further discuss the Bailey investigation resolu-tion, and adjourned until morning with-

out final action.
In response to an invitation from the In response to an invitation from the special advisory committee of the Senate, to the effect that if any one wanted to prefer charges and summon witnesses in the Balley investigation, that they were willing to act, Representative Cocke gave notice that he preferred the charges against Senator Balley, and desired that Senator Balley be summoned as the principal witness,

# OBITUARY.

Dr. Pruyn Patterson.

well-known along the border of the two Virginias. His wife, who was a Highland lady, daughter of the latt Benjamin Campbell, survives him, but is an invalid. Dr. Patterson was about sixty-eight years old, and die suddenly. At the very hour he was stricken a granddaughter was born to him at the Commercial Hotel, Monterey, of which his son, Mr. Harry Patterson, is proprietor.

Townsend Drice.

Townsend Price.

Townsend Price.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
MONTERBY, VA., January 17.—Mr.
Townsend Price, a prominent citizen
cf Highland, died on Tuesday last at
his home, near McKendree Church.
He was an octogenarian, was twice
married, and is survived by the second wife and a large family of children. During the war, being above
the age of enlistment, he joined the
home guards. The county had no more
worthy citizen.

Ludge Charles H. Ashton.

# Judge Charles H. Ashton.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., January 17.

Judge Charles H. Ashton, of King George county, died to-day at the horfie of his daughter, Mrs. Barksdale, in Alexandria county, after a lingering illness, aged sixty-three years. Judge Ashton was a prominent lawyer, took an active part in politics. He fought through the Civil War as a Confederate, was judge of the County Court of King George for twelve years and at one time represented his county in the Legislature. The remains will be taken to his home, in King George county, for interment.

Carl M. Goodloe.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GORDONSVILLE, VA., January 17.—
Carl M. Goodloe, cidest son of Mr. S.
H. Goodloe, didest son of Mr. S.
House to the Mr. S.
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House to the Mr. S.
H. Goodloe, didest son didest son his health, he returned home last summer.
He was a nephow of E. B. Eddins, of Richmond, and brother-in-law to A. I.
Parrish, of the firm of E. B. Taylor & Company, of Richmond.

His funeral will take place from his home to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. A. B. Evans.

Mrs. A. B. Evans. Special to The Times-Dispatch, 1 STORMONT, VA., January 17.—Mrs. A. B. Evans, wife of Judge A. B. Evans, of Churchville, died at her home, Edge-wood, last night, after a dangerous in cess. She was in her sixty-eighth year.

Bears the Bignature Charlet Flutchers

Her funeral will take place to-morrow at Hermitage Baptist Church. Mrs. Evans was a devoted wife and mother. She is survived by her husband and three children—Dr. A. B. Evans, W. D. Evans and Miss Alice Evans. Mrs. Evans was a Miss Dew. of King and Queen, before her marriage.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
SUFFOLK, VA., January 17.—Mrs.
Sarah E. Skinner, widow 2f J. S.
Skinner, died this afternoon at her home, near Saunders, Va., aged sixty-two years. Four sons and three daugh-ters survive her. Miss Ellen Adie.

Miss Sarah E. Skinner.

G. G. Mauck. G. G. Mauck.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LURAY. VA., January 17.—G. G.
Mauck, one of the best known citizens of Page county died at his home,
one mile west of Luray, at an early
hour this morning. Death was due to
pneumonia, superinduced by a sudden
attack of heart disease. Mr. Mauck
was about fifty years of age, and is
survived by a wife and several children.

# DEATHS.

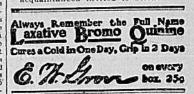
REDD—Died, at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. R. H. Moody, at Orgainsville Va., on the 8th of December, 1996, of consumption, Mrs. Till.A. J. REDD, aged fifty-three years, one month and one day. Her husband Mr. William S. Redd, of Abbeyrille, Va., survives her. Her sister, Mrs. R. H. Moody, is the only remaining member of the family. Mrs. Redd was educated at home and at the Ronnoke Female College, at Danville, Va.

Her funeral was preached by the Rev William M. Hudson, pastor of Bethol Baptist Church, and she was laid to rest by kind friends in the family burying-ground by the side of her father, the late R. L. White.

May God's grace be sufficient for the serrowing ones:

A FRIEND.

WINDLE.—Died, at her residence, January 17, 1907, at 4 P. M., ALLICE LOYALL WINDLE, in the thirty-third year of her age.
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